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Cyrus Farivar
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Sent via email:
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Re: California Public Records Act Request
Jesse Karmazin
Dr. David C. Wright (G88577)
Ambrosia
Ambrosia Plasma
Ivy Plasma

Dear Mr. Farivar:

I am responding on behalf of the Medical Board of California (Board) to your California Public Records Act request dated November 4, 2019.

Attached is the application for licensure and available renewal documents you requested for Dr. Wright.

Also attached are the public disciplinary documents for Dr. Wright.

Regarding Jesse Karmazin, there is no record of a physician licensed by the state of California by the name of Jesse Karmazin.

The Board does not have jurisdiction over plasma treatment centers. The California Department of Public Health (CDPH) is the state entity that is responsible for licensing facilities and the Board recommends you reach out to them regarding any laws or regulations that plasma treatment centers must follow. This website may be a good place to start:

<https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/OSPHLD/LFS/Pages/BloodBanksandBiologics.aspx>. You can contact CDPH's Office of Public Affairs at 916 440 7259.

Cordially,

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